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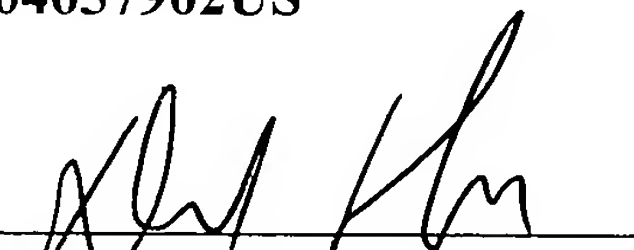
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Dear Sir:

This prior art statement is filed under 37 C.F.R. §1.97-1.98 in compliance with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.56.

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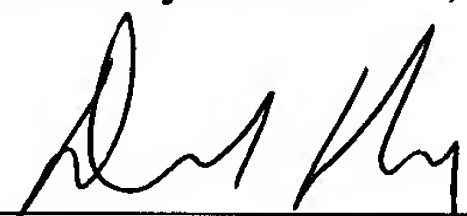
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